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LAGOS FOR CLEW

PASS TO CHIDESTER, U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, RESTON, VA.

1. TWO ALOUETTE III HELICOPTERS AND CREW OF FIVE CHARTERED FROM AERO CONTRACTORS OF NIGERIA BY FCDA FOR USE USGS TEAM COMMENCED FIELD SURVEYS FCT APRIL 1 FLYING COMBINED USGS AND NGS PARTIES.

2. THROUGH APRIL 9 OPERATIONS HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL WITH PROGRAM AHEAD OF SCHEDULE. ABOUT 700 SQ MI OUT OF TOTAL 3,000 SQ MI FINISHED IN GEOLOGIC RECONNAISSANCE. WORK AHEAD WILL PROGRESS MORE SLOWLY, PARTICULARLY IN QUAD 207, THE CORE OF FCT, WHERE SUITABLE TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS ARE LACKING. IF WEATHER, EQUIPMENT, FUEL SUPPLY, OTHER FACTORS CONTINUE FAVORABLE, RECONNAISSANCE GEOLOGIC, SURFICIAL, AND ENGINEERING PROPERTIES MAPS CAN BE COMPLETED AT FIELD LEVEL BY JUNE 1.

3. PROGRESS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HIGHLY QUALIFIED AERO CONTRACTOR CREW AND EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD SUPPORT FROM NGS PERSONNEL. CPRM LETTER FROM DIRECTOR USGS TO DIRECTOR NGS FOR OUTSTANDING
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PERFORMANCE NGS IN ASSISTING FIELD OPERATIONS OF USGS TEAM IN FCDA SURVEY RECOMMENDED. PERSONAL PRESENTATION IN KADUNA TO OKAZIE AROUND JUNE 5 BY SENIOR REPRESENTATIVE FROM USGS RESTON ALSO RECOMMENDED.

5. PARA 4 ACTION BEST ACCOMPLISHED BY ENTRY KANO THENCE JOIN USGS TEAM KADUNA FOR MEETINGS WITH NGS THEN ONWARD TO LAGOS FOR

TURNOVER TO EBONG AT FCDA.

6. PRELIMINARY MAPS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR EBONG PLANNED TO BE PREPARED HERE BY ABOUT JUNE 5. PROVISIONAL LAND USE MAP FCT PREPARED BY CHAVEZ AT FLAGSTAFF WOULD MAKE VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION THAT TIME, BECAUSE SOURCE IS LANDSAT IMAGERY.

7. CONSIDER POSSIBILITY USGS FUNDING ONE NGS GEOLOGIST TO RESTON, SIOUX FALLS, DENVER, GRAND CANYON TOTAL ONE MONTH OBSERVATION STUDY AT USGS EXPENSE IN RECOGNITION SERVICES GIVEN HERE.

8. SPENCER A GREAT CHOICE FOR CAMP MANAGER.
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